

REMARKS

Interview Summary

Applicant's representative thanks the examiner for removing the rejection of claims 1-4 under 35 U.S.C. § 103 over Kuebler with Dalmaso.

The examiner suggested amending claim 5 to add "simultaneously" to the "means for positioning the second shoe..." to remove the rejection under 35 U.S.C. § 102 (b) over Kuebler.

Amended claim 5 herein incorporates language from claim 5, lines 15-32 and page 7, line 4-10, which conveys the movement not taught in Kuebler.

Please allow the claims as amended.

No other fees are believed due at this time, however, please charge any additional deficiencies or credit any overpayments to deposit account number 12-0913 with reference to our attorney docket number (29947-93100).

Respectfully submitted,



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